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## Town Of EFFINGHAM

New Hampshire

For the fiscal year ending  
December 31, 1961

Vital Statistics For 1961

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## **TOWN OFFICERS**

### **Town Clerk**

PAULINE H. WILKINSON

### **Selectmen**

ALLEN F. CRABTREE	Term Expires 1962
HERBERT E. THOMPSON	Term Expires 1963
WALTER M. CHAMPION	Term Expires 1964

### **Treasurer**

HELEN L. BLAISDELL

### **Tax Collector**

ZELMA N. THURSTON

### **Highway Agents**

LEON MARSTON  
WILFRED DAVIS

### **Trustees of Trust Funds**

MYRTLE B. KENISTON	Term Expires 1962
CAROLINE POTTER	Term Expires 1963
ANNIE C. DEARBORN	Term Expires 1964

### **Trustees of Library**

VIRGINIA F. TAYLOR	Term Expires 1962
ANNIE C. DEARBORN	Term Expires 1963
MARTHA THURSTON	Term Expires 1964

### **Trustees of Silent Poor**

WILLIS D. GALE	ARTHUR P. MELOON
LLOYD D. SANBORN	

**Moderator**

PERCY C. TAYLOR

**Auditors**

LILLIAN C. CUTTING      FRANCIS R. GARDNER

**Supervisors of Check List**

MYRTLE B. KENISTON      ARTHUR P. MELOON  
LLOYD D. SANBORN

**Librarian**

CLARISSA TAYLOR

**Health Officer**

REBECCA P. SANBORN

**Constable**

WILLIAM H. KIRKER

**Forest Fire Warden**

ROLAND E. SANBORN

**Budget Committee**

LLOYD SANBORN	Term Expires 1962
LAWRENCE NIHAN	Term Expires 1962
PERCY TAYLOR	Term Expires 1963
ROLAND SANBORN	Term Expires 1963
ROGER NUTTER	Term Expires 1964
WILLIS D. GALE	Term Expires 1964

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Effingham in the County of Carroll in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Effingham on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of March, next at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

(Polls not to be closed before six o'clock P. M.)

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

A. For Town Officers' Salaries	\$1256.00
B. For Town Officers' Expenses	1500.00
C. For Election and Registration	150.00
D. Town Hall Expense	300.00
E. For Police Department	25.00
F. For Fire Department	350.00
G. For Forest Fire Protection	500.00
H. Ministerial Fund	40.00
I. Civil Defense	25.00
J. Health Department	25.00
K. Town Dump	200.00
L. For Highways:	
L-1 Summer Maintenance	3000.00
L-2 Winter Maintenance	3500.00
L-3 Bush Cutting	300.00
L-4 General Expense of Highway Dept.	300.00
L-5 Town Road Aid (State, \$5130.12)	769.52
L-6 For Street Lighting	660.00

M.	For Town Library	200.00
N.	For Town Poor	350.00
O.	For Old Age Assistance	1000.00
P.	For Memorial Day	30.00
Q.	For Aid to Soldiers and Their Families	100.00
R.	For Totally Disabled	260.00
S.	For Damage and Legal Expense	25.00
T.	For Interest on Temporary Loan	100.00
U.	For Interest on Long Term Note	37.00
V.	For Principle of Bridge Note (Bal. \$1452.80)	1452.80
W.	Workmen's Compensation Insurance	210.00

3. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, (\$200.00) to be used in co-operation with State and Federal Funds for the control of White Pine Blister Rust within the confines of the town.

4. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to borrow money in the anticipation of the collection of taxes for the current municipal year and to issue in the name and on the credit of the town negotiable notes therefor, said notes to be paid in the current municipal year from taxes collected during the current municipal year.

5. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to pay hourly State rates on State or contract jobs within the town.

6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty Dollars, (\$50.00) to open



the County Road, so-called, for a fire trail. (State to contribute \$25.00).

7. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to take money from the Capital Reserve Fund for the purchase of a new snow plow.

8. To see if the town will vote to accept the reports of its agents and auditors.

9. To transact any other business that may legally come before such meeting.

10. To choose all necessary officers for the ensuing year:

- 1 Selectman for 3 years
- 1 Town Clerk for 1 year
- 1 Collector of taxes for 1 year
- 1 Treasurer for 1 year
- 1 Road Agent for Center District for 1 year
- 1 Road Agent for Mountain District for 1 year
- 2 Auditors for 1 year
- 1 Constable for 1 year
- 1 Library Trustee for 3 years
- Also 1 Trustee of Trust Funds for 3 years
- and 2 members of the Budget Committee for 3 years

Given under our hands and seal, this 8th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty two.

ALLEN F. CRABTREE  
HERBERT E. THOMPSON  
WALTER M. CHAMPION  
Selectmen of Effingham

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ALLEN F. CRABTREE  
HERBERT E. THOMPSON  
WALTER M. CHAMPION  
Selectmen of Effingham

## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF EFFINGHAM

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the  
Ensuing Year January 1, 1962 to December 31, 1962,  
Compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Approp-  
riations and Expenditures of the Previous Year,  
January 1, 1961 to December 31, 1961.

### SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1961	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1961	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1962
<b>From State:</b>			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$750 00	\$1353 91	\$1000 00
Savings Bank Tax		2 34	
Refund—White Pine Blister Rust		4 00	
Class V Roads	3072 61	3072 61	3626 50
For Fighting Forest Fires	250 00	36 51	50 00
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance	800 00	94 43	50 00
<b>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</b>			
Dog Licenses	110 00	114 60	115 00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	6 00	14 00	15 00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	180 00	210 34	200 00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	1900 00	2286 34	2200 00
Sale of Town Property	300 00	250 00	50 00
Plowing Driveways	400 00	416 50	420 00
Refund Insurance Premium		13 20	
Reimbursement Postage		8 80	
Taxes Redeemed	500 00	394 19	100 00
Head Tax Penalties		23 00	
<b>Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:</b>			
Anticipation of Taxes	7500 00	5000 00	5000 00
<b>From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:</b>			
Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2	300 00	284 00	284 00
Yield Taxes	500 00	1563 71	500 00
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Total Revenues from All Sources			
Except Property Taxes	\$16568 61	\$15142 48	\$13610 50

**PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES**

	Approp. Previous Year 1961	Actual Exp'ditures Previous Year 1961	Approp. Recom'd by Budget Committee 1962
<b>Current Maintenance Expenses:</b>			
<b>General Government:</b>			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$1250 00	\$1256 00	\$1256 00
Town Officers' Expenses	1500 00	1259 24	1500 00
Election and Registration Exp.	200 00	63 25	150 00
Ministerial Fund	40 00	40 00	40 00
Expenses Town Hall and Other			
Town Buildings	200 00	126 53	300 00
<b>Protection of Persons and Property:</b>			
Police Department	25 00		25 00
Fire Department 350.00—Forest			
Fires 500.00	1500 00	1186 45	850 00
Blister Rust	200 00	196 00	200 00
Insurance	185 00	208 05	210 00
Damages and Legal Expenses	40 00		25 00
Civil Defense	25 00		25 00
<b>Health:</b>			
Health Department, Including			
Hospitals	25 00		25 00
Town Dump	200 00	400 00	200 00
<b>Highways and Bridges:</b>			
Brush Cutting	300 00	298 25	300 00
Town Maintenance—Summer	3000 00	6261 98	3000 00
Town Maintenance—Winter	3500 00	5729 25	3500 00
Street Lighting	660 00	759 22	660 00
General Expenses of Highway			
Department	325 00	379 37	300 00
Town Road Aid	773 61	773 61	769 52
<b>Libraries</b>	200 00	200 00	200 00
<b>Public Welfare:</b>			
Aid to Disabled	250 00	252 88	260 00
Town Poor	350 00	131 84	350 00
Old Age Assistance	1700 00	1166 10	1000 00
<b>Patriotic Purposes:</b>			
Memorial Day and Veterans'			
Associations	50 00	25 80	30 00
Aid to Soldiers and Their			
Families	100 00		100 00

**Public Service Enterprises:**

Fire Trails—Old County Road	50 00
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**Interest:**

On Temporary Loans	150 00	86 25	100 00
On Long Term Notes	85 00	61 32	37 00

**Payment on Principal of Debt:**

Long Term Notes	1000 00	1000 00	1452 80
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TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$17833 63	\$21861 39	\$16915 32
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ROGER L. NUTTER  
 ALLEN F. CRABTREE  
 RAYMOND KENNARD  
 LAURENCE D. NIHAN  
 ROLAND SANBORN  
 PERCY C. TAYLOR  
 LLOYD SANBORN  
 Budget Committee

**SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION**

Lands and Buildings	\$971,125 00
House Trailers	4 4,155 00
Electric Plants	3 88,950 00
Stock in Trade	21,100 00
Horses, Asses and Mules	20 2,460 00
Cows	19 1,170 00
Other Neat Stock	1 60 00
Sheep	2 120 00
Fowls	3430 2,058 00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	4 550 00
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Total Gross Valuation Before Exemptions Allowed	\$1,091,748 00
Less: Veteran's Exemptions and Exemptions to Blind	24,235 00
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Net Valuation on Which Tax Rate is Computed	\$1,067,513 00

**Electric and Gas Utility Companies**

Central Maine Power Co.	\$20,000 00
New Hampshire Electric	1,450 00
Public Service Co.	67,500 00
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Total	\$88,950 00
Amount of property valuation exempted to veterans	24,235 00
Number of inventories distributed	475
Number of inventories returned	260

Number of veterans who received property exemptions	23
Number of veterans exempted from poll tax	24

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### CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

ALLEN F. CRABTREE  
HERBERT E. THOMPSON  
WALTER M. CHAMPION  
Selectmen of Effingham

September 8, 1961

## STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED

### APPROPRIATIONS

Town Officers Salaries	\$1250 00
Town Officers Expenses	1500 00
Election and Registration	200 00
Ministerial Fund	40 00
Town Hall and Buildings	
Maintenance	200 00
Police Department	25 00
Fire Department	1000 00
Forest Fires	500 00
Blister Rust	200 00
Insurance	185 00
Damages and Legal Expenses	40 00
Civil Defense	25 00
Health Department	25 00
Town Dump	200 00
Town Maintenance (Summer \$3000.00, Winter \$3500.00)	6500 00
Street Lighting	660 00
General Expenses of Highway Department	325 00
Town Road Aid	773 63
Libraries	200 00
Old Age Assistance	1700 00
Town Poor \$350.00 Veterans Aid \$100.00	450 00
Memorial Day	50 00
Aid to Disabled	250 00
Bush Cutting	300 00
Interest on Temporary Loans	150 00
Payment on Debt (Principal \$1000.00) (Interest \$85.00)	1085 00
Total Town Appropriations	\$17,833 63

County Tax	2,580 97
School Tax	26,756 25
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Total Town, County and School Appropriations	\$47,170 85
Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits:	
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$1353 91
Savings Bank Tax	2 34
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	500 00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	180 00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	6 00
Dog Licenses	110 00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	1900 00
Income From Trust Funds	300 00
Poll Taxes at \$2.00 (Number, 150)	300 00
Cash Surplus, (see note)*	1000 00
Other Revenue:	
Reimbursement, Forest Fires	250 00
Reimbursement, Old Age Assist.	800 00
Plowing Driveways	400 00
Total Revenue and Credits	<hr/> \$7102 25
	40,068 60
Plus Overlay	496 89
Amount to be raised by property taxes	<hr/> \$40,565 49

#### Taxes to be Committed to Collector

Property taxes	\$40,565 49
Poll Taxes at \$2.00	300 00
Total taxes to be committed	<hr/> \$40,865 49

\*NOTE: Cash Surplus—Difference between Cash bal-



ance and current liabilities excluding long term debt as of December 31.

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Date September 8, 1961.

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HERBERT E. THOMPSON  
WALTER M. CHAMPION  
Selectmen of Effingham

# COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1961

Title of Appropriation	Appropriation	Receipts and Reimbursements	Total Amount Available	Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
						\$ 6 00
Town Officers Salaries	\$1250 00		\$1250 00	\$1256 00	\$240 76	
Town Officers Expenses	1500 00		1500 00	1259 24	136 75	
Election and Registration	200 00		200 00	63 25	73 47	
Town Hall	200 00		200 00	126 53	25 00	
Police Dept.	25 00		25 00			
Fire Dept.	1000 00		1000 00	1000 00		
Civil Defense	25 00		25 00		25 00	
Health Dept.	25 00		25 00		25 00	
Town Dump	200 00		200 00	400 00		200 00
Summer Maintenance	3000 00	\$3072 61	6072 61	6261 98	189 37	
Winter Maintenance	3500 00	416 50	3916 50	5729 25	1812 75	
Bush Cutting	300 00		300 00	298 25	1 75	
General Expenses Highway Dept.	325 00		325 00	379 37	54 37	
Town Road Aid	773 61		773 61	773 61		
Library	200 00		200 00	200 00		
Town Poor	350 00		350 00	131 84	218 16	
Old Age Assistance	1700 00	94 43	1794 43	1166 10	628 33	
Soldiers Aid	100 00		100 00		100 00	
Memorial Day	50 00		50 00	25 80	24 20	
Street Lighting	660 00		660 00	759 22		99 22
Ministerial Fund	40 00		40 00	40 00		
Damage and Legal Expenses	40 00		40 00		40 00	
Interest on Temporary Loan	150 00		150 00	86 25	63 75	
Interest on Long Term Note	85 00		85 00	61 32	23 68	
Payment on Bridge Loan	1000 00		1000 00	1000 00		
Totally Disabled	250 00		250 00	252 88		2 82
Forest Fires	500 00		500 00	186 45	313 55	
Blister Rust	200 00		200 00	196 00	4 00	
Insurance	185 00		185 00	208 05		23 05
	<u>\$17833 61</u>	<u>\$3583 54</u>	<u>\$21417 15</u>	<u>\$21861 39</u>	<u>\$1943 40</u>	<u>\$2387 58</u>

**FINANCIAL REPORT**

For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1961

**ASSETS**

Cash in hands of treasurer	\$21246 92	
Capital Reserve Funds		
Fire and Road Equipment	967 54	
Unredeemed taxes:		
Levy of 1960	363 59	
Levy of 1959	25 20	
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1961	7257 49	
Levy of 1960	124 60	
State Head Taxes—Levy of 1961	250 00	
State Head Taxes—Previous Years	15 00	
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Total Assets		\$30250 34
Grand Total		\$30250 34
Surplus December 31, 1960	10087 06	
Surplus December 31, 1961	8590 24	
Decrease of Surplus	1496 82	

**LIABILITIES**

Due to State:		
State Head Taxes—1961		
(Uncollected \$250.00)	\$250 00	
Yield Tax—Bond & Debt Retirement		
(Uncollected \$233.51)	233 51	
Due to School Districts: Balance		
of Appropriation	18756 25	
Capital Reserve Funds:	967 54	
Long Term Notes Outstanding:		
Effingham Falls Bridge	1452 80	
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Total Liabilities		\$21660 10

Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)	8590 24
Grand Total	<u>30250 34</u>

## RECEIPTS

### Current Revenue:

#### From Local Taxes:

Property Taxes Current Year	
1961	\$34005 84
Poll Taxes Current Year	
1961	210 00
Yield Taxes 1961	768 07
State Head Taxes at \$5 1961	665 00

Total Current Year's Taxes collected and remitted	\$35648 91
Property Taxes and Yield Taxes Previous Years	7754 49
Poll Taxes Previous Years	74 00
State Head Taxes at \$5 Previous Years	230 00
Interest received on Taxes	210 34
Penalties on State Head Taxes	23 00
Tax sales redeemed	394 19

#### From State:

For Class V Highway main- tenance	3072 61
Interest and dividends tax	1353 91
Head Tax Postage	8 80
Savings Bank Tax and Building and Loan Association Tax	2 34
Fighting forest fires	36 51
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance	94 43
Bounties	10 00

**From Local Sources, Except Taxes:**

Dog Licenses	114 60
Pistol Permits \$10.00 - Filing Fees \$4.00	14 00
Motor vehicle permits (1960, \$63.26) (1961, \$2079.20) (1962, \$143.88)	2286 34

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Total Current Revenue Receipts	\$51328 47
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**Receipts Other than Current Revenue:**

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	5000 00
Insurance adjustments, Work- men's Compensation	13 20
Refunds: White Pine Blister Rust, \$4.00, Huggins Hospital \$54.96	58 96
Sale of town property	250 00
Plowing Driveways	416 50

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Total Receipts other than Current Revenue	5738 66
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Total Receipts from All Sources	\$57067 13
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Cash on hand January 1, 1961	21775 85
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Grand Total	\$78842 98
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**PAYMENTS****Current Maintenance Expenses:****General Government:**

Town officers' salaries	\$1256 00
Town officers' expenses	1259 24
Election and registration exp.	63 25
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	126 53

**Protection of Persons and Property:**

Fire department, including forest fires	1186 45
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Moth extermination—Blister Rust		
and Care of Trees	200	00
Property Appraisal 1960-1961	421	55
Insurance	208	05
Bounties	9	00
Health:		
Town Dumps	400	00
Highways and Bridges:		
Bush Cutting	298	25
Town Road Aid	773	61
Town Maintenance		
Summer \$6255.19—440.00		
Winter \$5525.65		
Withholding tax \$127.45	12348	29
Street lighting	759	22
General Expenses of Highway		
Department	327	52
Libraries	200	00
Public Welfare		
Old Age assistance	1166	10
Town Poor	131	84
Aid to Disabled	252	88
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day	25	80
Ministerial Fund	40	00
Head Tax Commission	11	10
Taxes bought by town \$128.04		
costs \$11.70	139	74
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	135	92
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Total Current Maintenance Expenses		\$21,740 34
Interest:		
Paid on temporary loans in		
anticipation of taxes	86	25
Paid on long term notes	61	32
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Total Interest Payments		147 57

**Indebtedness:**

Payments on temporary loans		
in anticipation of taxes	5000 00	
Payments on long term notes	1000 00	
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Total Indebtedness Payments		6000 00
Payments to Other Governmental		
Divisions:		
State Head Taxes paid State Treas.		
(1961 Taxes \$665.00)		
(Prior Years \$286.00)	951 00	
Payment to State a/c Yield Tax		
Debt Retirement	172 08	
Taxes paid to County	2580 97	
Payments to School Districts		
(1960 Tax \$18,004.10)		
(1961 Tax \$8,000.00)	26004 10	
Total Payments to Other	<hr/>	
Governmental Divisions		29708 15
		<hr/>
Total Payments for all Purposes		\$57,596 06
Cash on hand December 31, 1961		21,246 92
		<hr/>
Grand Total		\$78,842 98

**SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY**

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$12,000 00
Furniture and Equipment	500 00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	1700 00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	700 00
Equipment	2300 00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	6000 00
Equipment	1000 00
All Lands and Buildings acquired through	
Tax Collector's deeds:	
R. Dearborn lot	2000 00

Minnie Brown Lot	100 00
Bailey Farm Lots	500 00
Larrabee Meadow	25 00
Hanson Meadow	25 00
Cook Lot	25 00
Hatch or Meloon Lot	100 00
Telfer Lot	25 00
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Total	\$27,050 00

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Date Feb. 8, 1962

ALLEN F. CRABTREE  
HERBERT E. THOMPSON  
WALTER M. CHAMPION  
Selectmen  
HELEN L. BLAISDELL  
Treasurer



**TOWN CLERK'S REPORT**

Received for Auto Permits (229)	\$2286	34
Received for Dog Licenses (46)	114	60
Received for Filing Fees	4	00

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\$2,404 94

**Paid to Treasurer:**

Auto Permits (229)	\$2286	34
Dog Licenses (46)	114	60
Filing Fees	4	00

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\$2,404 94

PAULINE H. WILKINSON  
Town Clerk

**TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT****SUMMARY OF WARRANT****PROPERTY — POLL — YIELD TAXES**

Levy - 1961

— DR —

**Taxes Committed to Collector:**

Property Taxes	\$40,377	59
Poll Taxes	294	00
Yield Taxes	1,001	58

**Added Taxes:**

Property Taxes	604	81
Interested Collected	25	

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Total Debits \$42,278 23

**Remittances to Treasurer-1961**

Property Taxes	\$34,005	84
Poll Taxes	210	00

## — CR —

Yield Taxes	768 07	
Prop. Interest	25	
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	\$34,984 16	
Abatements:		
Property	\$34 58	
Poll Taxes	\$2 00	
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	\$36 58	
Uncollected Taxes-as per Coll. List		
year end-12-31-61		
Property Taxes	\$6,941 98	
Poll Taxes	82 00	
Yield Taxes	233 51	
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	\$7,257 49	
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Total Credits		\$42,278 23

## SUMMARY OF WARRANT

## PROPERTY — POLL — YIELD TAXES

Levy - 1960

## — DR —

Uncollected Taxes-as of		
Jan. 1, 1961:		
Property Taxes	\$7,006 51	
Poll Taxes	90 00	
Yield Taxes	905 63	
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	\$8,002 14	
Interested collected during		
year end 12-31-61	163 47	
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Total Debits		\$8,165 61

## — CR —

Remittances to Treas. during  
fiscal yr. end 12-31-61:

Property Taxes	\$6,952 80
Poll Taxes	70 00
Yield Taxes	795 64
Int. coll.-1961	163 47
	<hr/>
	\$7,981 91

Abatements made  
during year-61:

Property	\$45 10
Poll Tax	14 00
	<hr/>
	\$59 10

Uncollected Taxes-as per  
coll. list 12-31-61:

Property Tax	\$8 61
Poll Tax	6 00
Yield Tax	109 99
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	124 60

Total Credits	<hr/>	\$8,165 61
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Levy - 1959

## — DR —

Uncollected Taxes  
as of 1-1-61

Yield Tax	\$55 41
Poll Tax	4 00
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\$59 41

## — CR —

Remitted to Treas.-1961

Poll Tax \$4 00

Uncollected Tax-per list

12-31-61

Yield Tax 55 41

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\$59 41

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Levy - 1957

## — DR —

Uncollected Tax as of

1-1-61

Property Tax \$6 05

Uncoll. Prop. Interest 1 08

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\$7 13

## — CR —

Remitted to Treas.-1961

Property \$6 05

Property int. 1 08

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\$7 13

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SUMMARY OF WARRANT

## STATE HEAD TAX

Levy of 1961

## — DR —

State Head Taxes Committed

to Collector:

Original Warrant \$915 00

Total Debits \$915 00

## — CR —

## Remittances to Treasurer

year-1961

Head Taxes \$665 00

Uncoll. Head Taxes

as per list 12-31-61 250 00

Total Credits	<u>          </u>	\$915 00
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## STATE HEAD TAX

Levy - 1960

## — DR —

Uncoll. Taxes-as of

1-1-61 \$275 00

Uncoll. penalties-1961 22 00

Total Debits	<u>          </u>	\$297 00
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## — CR —

## Remittances to Treasurer 1961

Head Taxes \$220 00

Penalties 22 00

Abatements during 1961 40 00

Uncoll. Head Taxes-per list

yr. ended 12-31-61 15 00

Total Credits	<u>          </u>	\$297 00
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## STATE HEAD TAX

Levy - 1959

— DR —

Uncollected taxes as of

Jan. 1, 1961

Head Taxes \$10 00

Uncoll. penalties 1 00

Total Debits \$11 00

— CR —

Remittances to Treasurer-

year 1961

Head Taxes \$10 00

Penalties 1 00

Total Credits \$11 00

## SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNT

As of December 31, 1961

— DR —

Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:

	1960	1959	1958	Previous years
Taxes sold to Town during 1961	\$139 74			
Taxes sold to Individuals 1961	237 37			
Bal. Unredeemed taxes 1-1-61		\$221 09	\$184 78	\$5 27
Interest coll. after sale	27	15 67	29 60	
<b>TOTAL DEBITS</b>	<b>\$377 38</b>	<b>\$236 76</b>	<b>\$214 38</b>	<b>\$5 27</b>

— CR —

Remittances to Treasurer dur- ing year 1961	\$ 13 52	\$195 89	\$184 78	
Interest collected after sale	27	15 67	29 60	
Deeded to town during year				\$5 27
Unredeemed Taxes at close of year	363 59	25 20		
	<b>\$377 38</b>	<b>\$236 76</b>	<b>\$214 38</b>	<b>\$5 27</b>

## UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES

## ON ACCOUNT OF LEVIES OF:

	1960	1959
Charles Smith	\$113 80	
Robert Hussey	12 42	\$25 20
Allen Kelsey	68 70	
Alfred Johnson, Jr.	81 07	
Mrs. Frank Dewitt	6 43	
Estate Chester Eldridge	8 16	
Leon Giles	56 33	
Donald Mitchell	16 68	
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	\$363 59	\$25 20

I hereby certify that the above reports showing amounts due from taxes in the town of Effingham as of December 31, 1961 are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ZELMA N. THURSTON  
Tax Collector

## REPORT OF THE TOWN TREASURER

Fiscal year from January 1, 1961 to December 31, 1961

Cash on hand, January 1, 1961 \$21,775 85

Received from Zelma Thurston,  
Tax Collector:

1961 Property tax	\$34,005 84
1961 Property tax interest	25
1961 Poll tax	210 00
1961 Head tax	665 00
1961 Yield tax	768 07
1960 Poll tax	70 00
1960 Property tax	6952 80
1960 Property tax interest	163 47
1960 Yield tax	795 64
1960 Head tax	220 00
1960 Head tax penalties	22 00
1959 Poll tax	4 00
1959 Head tax	10 00
1959 Head tax penalties	1 00
1957 Property tax	6 05
1957 Property tax interest	1 08
1960 Tax sales redeemed	13 52
1960 Tax sale interest	27
1959 Tax sales redeemed	195 89
1959 Tax sale interest	15 67
1958 Tax sales redeemed	184 78
1958 Tax sale interest	29 60

Received from Pauline Wilkinson

Town Clerk:

Auto Permits	2286 34
Dog Licenses	114 60
Filing fees	4 00
Received from State of New Hampshire:	
Bounties	10 00



Reimbursement, Head Tax Postage	8 80	
Forest Fires Refund	7 78	
Forest Warden Training	18 08	
Forest Warden Investigation	5 00	
Recovery, Old Age	94 43	
Class 5, Road Money	3072 61	
Credits, Savings Bank Tax	2 34	
Credits, Interest and Dividends Tax	1353 91	
Forest Fire Prevention	5 65	
Pistol Permits	10 00	
Plowing Driveways	416 50	
Refund, Insurance Premium	13 20	
Sale of Land at bid, (balance)	250 00	
Huggins Hospital, (refund)	54 96	
Carroll County Trust Co.		
Temporary Loan	5000 00	
State of N. H. refund White Pine		
Blister Rust	4 00	
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		\$57,067 13
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		78,842 98
Less Selectmen's Orders		57,596 06
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Cash on hand at end of year		\$21,246 92

HELEN L. BLAISDELL  
Town Treasurer

**DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS****TOWN OFFICERS SALARIES**

Herbert E. Thompson, Selectman	\$210 00
Walter M. Champion, Selectman	210 00
Allen F. Crabtree, Selectman	210 00
Zelma N. Thurston, Tax Collector	210 00
Helen L. Blaisdell, Treasurer	105 00
Pauline H. Wilkinson, Town Clerk	70 00
Myrtle B. Keniston, Supervisor	28 00
Arthur P. Meloon, Supervisor	28 00
Lloyd D. Sanborn, Supervisor	28 00
William H. Kirker, Constable	28 00
Rebecca Sanborn, Health Officer	14 00
Treasurer, Trustee of Trust Funds	35 00
Francis Gardner, Auditor	40 00
Lillian Cutting, Auditor	40 00

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\$1256 00

**TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES**

Herbert Thompson, Time, mileage and expense	\$ 13 19
Walter Champion, Time, mileage and expense	18 50
Walter Champion, Time and mileage with Tax Comm.	21 95
Allen Crabtree, Time, mileage and stamps for inventories	31 41
Allen Crabtree, Time with State Tax Comm.	48 50
N. E. Tel & Tel Co. Telephone	78 15
Sargent Bros. Envelopes and tax forms	31 07
Carroll County Independent Envelopes	14 35

Carroll County Independents,	
Town Reports	436 00
State Tax Comm., Tax books	2 00
Edson C. Eastman, Dog tags	13 34
Edson C. Eastman, Supplies	49 14
N. H. Assessors' Ass'n, Dues	6 00
Sears Roebuck & Co. Office supplies	264 32
Helen Blaisdell, Stamps and mileage	16 00
Brown & Saltmarsh, Supplies	21 89
Wentworth Ins. Agency, Bonds	89 00
N. H. Town Clerks' Ass'n, Dues	3 00
N. H. Tax Collectors' Ass'n, Dues	3 00
Zelma Thurston, Time, mileage	
and expense	65 70
Howard Thurston, Salary and mile-	
age ('58) Constable	8 67
State Treasurer, Books	3 00
Branham Pub. Co., Auto reference	
books	9 00
Registry of Deeds, Transfers	11 76
Estella White, Deceased persons	
report	30
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	\$1259 24

### ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Percy Taylor, Moderator	\$11 20
Willis Gale, Ballot Clerk	8 40
Annie Dearborn, Ballot Clerk	8 40
Anna Champion, Ballot Clerk	8 40
Janet Hartford, Ballot Clerk	8 40
Carroll County Independent,	
Ballots	18 45
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	\$63 25

## TOWN HALL

Dube & Murphy, Fuel Oil	\$29 19
Herbert Thompson, Painting office	48 00
Walter Davis & Sons, Wood	18 50
Allen Crabtree, Work on furnace	2 50
Brocky's, Paint	4 05
Earl Taylor, Broom	2 69
Allen Crabtree, Kindling for Library	60
The Farm House Products, Wood	21 00

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\$126 53

## INSURANCE

Ossipee Ins. Agency, Workman's Compensation	\$208 05
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## FOREST FIRES

Effingham Fire Dept. (Paid by Freedom for burnt hose)	\$40 00
Arthur Meloon	9 45
Wilfred Davis	11 05
Percy Taylor	9 60
Raymond Van Tassel	8 25
Roland Sanborn	23 50
Hannibal Smith	2 20
Thomas Smith	2 20
Effingham Fire Dept., Pumper	5 00
Allen Crabtree	3 20
State of N. H. Indian pump parts and town share of new Indian pumps	72 00

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\$186 45

## EFFINGHAM FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	\$1,000 00
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## COSTS OF TAX SALE

Zelma Thurston, Costs	\$ 11 70	
Taxes bought by Town	128 04	
	<hr/>	\$139 74

## DISCOUNTS AND REFUNDS

George Keniston, Refund property tax 1960	\$30 96	
Stella Cragin, Refund (hens) 1960	5 74	
Roger Nutter, Refund on truck tax 1961	28 71	
George Baker, Refund, property tax 1960	15 79	
Raymond Benzing, Abatement on tax 1961	54 72	
	<hr/>	\$135 92

## BOUNTIES

Raymond Van Tassel	\$8 00	
Allen Crabtree, 3rd	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$9 00

## TOWN DUMP

George Downs, Care of dump 1960	\$200 00	
George Downs, Care of dump 1961	200 00	
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## GENERAL EXPENSES OF HIGHWAY DEPT.

R. C. Hazelton, Culverts	\$ 53 60
Eldridge & Johnson, Welding	11 15
Dunnell's Garage, Work on ram	6 00
Roland Sanborn, Welding	110 90
Earl Taylor, Oil and headlight	7 29
Effingham Falls Store, Oil	1 20
Moulton's Store, Dynamite	3 00
Rines' Garage, Welding	7 60
H. F. Nelson, Bridge plank	51 88
Harold Potter, Bridge posts	15 00
Merrimack Farmers, Calcium	47 25
The Kennett Co. Gravel (for 1960)	64 50
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	\$379 37

## HEAD TAX WORK

Zelma Thurston	\$11 10
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## TOWN ROAD AID

Appropriation	\$773 61
Class V Funds used to finish T R A construction on Pine River Road	440 00

## STREET LIGHTING

Public Service Co.	\$759 22
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## LIBRARIES

Library Trustees, Appropriation	\$200 00
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## OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

State of N. H. (25% of total)	\$1166 10
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## BUSH CUTTING

Leon Marston	\$70 00
Warren Judkins	26 25
Rufus Edwards	31 25
Lee Judkins	41 25
Albion Libby	62 75
Wilfred Davis	48 00
Frank Davis	5 00
Jan Van Tassel	13 75

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\$298 25

## WINTER HIGHWAY

Leon Marston	\$1544 25
Warren Judkins	544 38
Rufus Edwards	163 78
Lee Judkins	2 50
Lawrence Edwards	1 25
George Downs	488 00
Wilfred Davis	1535 00
Frank Davis	401 85
Roland Sanborn	72 00
Jan Van Tassel	94 65
B. G. Sparks	35 00
John Edwards	1 25
Marvin Edwards	1 25
Bernard Edwards	1 25
Melvin Fenderson	3 75
Kenneth Davis	15 00
Herbert Thompson	235 75
John E. Thompson	58 50
Ralph Douglas	3 75
David Seaman	2 50
Bert Davis	10 00
Myles Cook	36 25

Annie Dearborn, Gravel	54 10
Maude Wilcox, Gravel	10 60
Manuel Stacy	176 00
Merrimack Farmers, Salt	221 94
Gladys Leavitt, Sand	15 20

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\$5729 25

### SUMMER HIGHWAY

Leon Marston	\$1653 25
Warren Judkins	652 50
Rufus Edwards	149 45
Lawrence Edwards	37 50
Lee Judkins	121 10
George Downs	326 70
Wilfred Davis	1008 25
Frank Davis	296 05
Wayne Moody	60 75
Rodney Moody	20 00
Jan Van Tassel	86 25
Bert Davis	123 25
Richard Seaman	5 00
Alvin Coleman & Son, Cold patch	28 65
Wm. Vickers & Sons, Cold patch	54 43
H. C. Colby & Son. (Class V)	1022 40
The Kennett Co., Gravel (1961)	139 70
Town of Freedom, Grader	168 75
Town of Freedom, Cold patch	30 00
Beede Oil Co.	288 00
Myles Cook	80 00

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\$6261 98

### TOWN POOR

\$131 84



## AID TO DISABLED

State of N. H. (35% of total aid)	\$252 88
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## MEMORIAL DAY

Town of Ossipee, Flags	\$10 80	
Bert Davis, Placement of flags	15 00	
	<hr/>	\$25 80

## HEAD TAXES

State of N. H.	\$951 00
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## INTEREST

Carroll County Trust Co., Long term note	\$61 32	
Carroll County Trust Co., Tem- porary note	86 25	
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## MINISTERIAL FUND

South Effingham Church	\$8 00	
Center Effingham Church	8 00	
Lord's Hill Church	8 00	
Effingham Falls Church	8 00	
Davis Meeting House	8 00	
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## TEMPORARY LOAN

Carroll County Trust Co.	\$5,000 00
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**LONG TERM NOTE**

Carroll County Trust Co.	\$1,000 00
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**COUNTY TAX**

Treasurer, Carroll County	\$2,580 97
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**STATE YIELD TAX RETIREMENT**

State of N. H.	\$172 08
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**SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Remainder 1960-61 Approp.	\$18,004 10
Partial payment 1961-62 Approp.	8,000 00
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	\$26,004 10

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**CERTIFICATE**

January 4, 1962

This is to certify we have found the disbursements in the Treasurer's and Selectmen's books to be in agreement.

LILLIAN C. CUTTING  
FRANCIS GARDNER  
Auditors

## EFFINGHAM TRUST FUNDS

## RECEIPTS

Cemetery:	
Abbie A. Wedgwood	\$14 63
David W. Goldsmith	3 64
Martha J. Sceggell	3 64
John H. Flanders	5 48
Evelyn M. Downs	1 82
Effingham Falls Cem. Assn.	40 76
Anna M. Taylor	3 64
Alice C. Milliken	3 64
Frank Emmons	6 04
John V. Granville	3 01
William S. Bryant	7 31
Ebenezer Smith	1 82
David W. Downs	1 82
Milton C. Morse	7 31
Joseph W. Philbrick	5 48
Amasa N. Davis	3 64
Maria Marston	3 64
Jonathan Hobbs	3 64
Cora L. Leavitt	3 64
Georgia F. Parsons	9 68
Mary Stevens	1 82
Seth J. Philbrick	18 29
Joseph S. Smith	3 64
David Hobbs	3 64
Carrie Leavitt	3 64
Gertrude Lamper	10 97
Pauline Poore	9 14
G. Myrtle Champion	3 01
Ruth Campbell	10 97
Chester N. Drake	15 30

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 \$214 70

## Expenditures of Effingham Trust Funds:

Paid to Lida Wilkinson		\$5 00
Labor on Wm. S. Bryant lot		
Paid to Earl Taylor, 1960-1961		4 00
Labor on Ruth Campbell lot		
Paid to Janet Hartford		28 50
Labor on Amasa N. Davis lot	10 00	
Labor on Effingham Falls Cem.	18 50	
Paid to Martha Thurston		17 50
Labor on Effingham Falls Cem.		
Paid to Zelma Thurston		35 75
Labor on Effingham Falls Cem.		
Paid to Howard Thurston		20 00
Labor on Effingham Falls Cem.		
Paid to Clifford Tilton, Jr.		10 00
Labor on Effingham Falls Cem.		
Paid to Jenita Brown		17 00
Labor on Frank Emmons lot		
Paid to Caroline Potter, 1960-1961		23 00
Labor on Cora L. Leavitt lot	3 00	
Labor on Colcord lot	10 00	
Labor on Anna M. Taylor lot	4 00	
Labor on Abbie A. Wedgwood lot	6 00	
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		\$160 75

MYRTLE B. KENISTON, Chairman  
 CAROLINE A. POTTER  
 ANNIE C. DEARBORN  
 Trustees of Trust Funds

**“SILENT POOR” FUND**

Jan. 1, 1961 Balance on hand	\$113 25	
March 1st Interest on U. S.		
Savings Bond	13 80	
Sept. 1st Interest on U. S.		
Savings Bond	13 80	
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WILLIS D. GALE  
 ARTHUR P. MELOON  
 LLOYD SANBORN  
 Trustees of “Silent Poor” Fund

**ABIGAIL DRAKE SCHOOL FUND**

Int. rec'd from Rochester Trust Co.	\$18 28	
Expenditures:		
Paid to Helen L. Blaisdell Treas.		
of School District	\$18 28	
		MYRTLE B. KENISTON, Chmn.
		CAROLINE A. POTTER
		ANNIE C. DEARBORN
		Trustees of Trust Funds
Capital Reserve Fund	\$707 70	

**LIBRARY TRUST FUNDS**

Abbie A. Wedgwood	\$14 63	
Georgia F. Parsons	18 28	
Emma B. Leland	18 28	
	<hr/>	\$51 19
Expenditures of Library Trust Funds:		
Paid to Virginia Taylor, Treas.		
Library Trust Funds	\$51 19	
		MYRTLE B. KENISTON, Chmn.
		CAROLINE A. POTTER
		ANNIE C. DEARBORN
		Trustees of Trust Funds

**TOWN CEMETERY FUND**

Jan. 1st 1961 Balance on hand	\$156 62
Paid to Thomas Nichlin for labor	5 00

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\$151 62

MYRTLE B. KENISTON, Chmn.  
CAROLINE A. POTTER  
ANNIE C. DEARBORN  
Trustees of Trust Funds

**REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF EFFINGHAM, N. H., FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1961**

Date of Creation	NAME OF FUND	PURPOSE OF FUND	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Principal	Balance of Income at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income End of Year
1932	William S. Bryant	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	\$200 00	\$47 87	\$7 31	\$5 00	\$50 18
1938	Ruth Campbell	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	300 00	20 02	10 97	4 00	26 99
1948	Capital Reserve Fund		Rochester Trust Co.	707 70	259 84	35 37		293 21
1957	G. Myrtle Champion	Cemetery Fund	Wolfeboro Nat'l Bank	100 00	7 56	3 01		10 57
1937	Amasa H. Davis	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	100 00	25 25	3 64	10 00	18 50
1935	David W. Downs	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	50 00	8 98	1 82		10 80
1928	Evelyn M. Downs	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	50 00	3 31	1 82		5 13
1876	Abigail Drake	School Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	500 00		18 28	18 28	
1961	Chester H. Drake	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	500 00		15 30		15 30
1928	Bingham Falls Assn.	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	1114 93	239 92	40 76	101 75	178 93
1931	Frank Emmons	Cemetery Fund	Wolfeboro Nat'l Bank	200 00	49 35	6 03	17 00	38 42
1922	John H. Flanders	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	150 00	54 23	5 48		59 73
1914	David W. Goldsmith	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	100 00	13 71	3 64		17 35
1931	John V. Granville	Cemetery Fund	Wolfeboro Nat'l Bank	100 00	10 45	3 01		13 46
1930	David Hobbs	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	150 00	12 17	5 48		17 65
1939	Jonathan Hobbs	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	100 00	8 11	3 64		11 75
1954	Gertrude Lampier	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	300 00	32 36	10 97		43 33
1954	Carrie Leavitt	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	100 00	10 35	3 64		13 99
1940	Cora L. Leavitt	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	100 00	6 67	3 64	3 00	7 31
1932	Emma B. Leland	Library Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	500 00		18 28	18 28	
1938	Maria Marston	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	100 00	9 05	3 64		12 69
1931	Alice C. Milliken	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	100 00	31 55	3 64		35 19
1935	Milton C. Morse	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	200 00	6 80	7 31		14 11
1942	Georgia F. Parsons	Library Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	500 00		18 28	18 28	
1942	Georgia F. Parsons	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	265 33	12 00	9 68		21 68
1936	Joseph W. Philbrick	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	150 00	41 80	5 48		47 28
1947	Seth J. Philbrick	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	500 00	145 81	18 20		164 10
1954	Pauline Poore (Colcord)	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	250 00	16 70	9 14	10 00	15 84
1916	Martha J. Scorgel	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	100 00	10 95	3 64		14 59
1932	"Silent Pool"	Cemetery Fund	U. S. Savings Bond G.	1000 00	113 25	27 60		140 85
1935	Phenezer Smith	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	50 00	4 64	1 82		6 46
1948	Joseph S. Smith	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	100 00	22 53	3 64		26 17
1944	Mary Stevens	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	50 00	8 23	1 82		10 05
1929	Anna M. Taylor	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	100 00	6 67	3 64	4 00	6 31
1912	Abbie A. Wedgewood	Cemetery Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	400 00	26 71	14 63	6 00	35 34
1910	Abbie A. Wedgewood	Library Fund	Rochester Trust Co.	400 00		14 63	14 63	
				<u>\$9687 96</u>	<u>\$1366 89</u>	<u>\$348 98</u>	<u>\$230 22</u>	<u>\$1585 65</u>

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.  
January 18, 1962

MYRTLE B. KENISTON, Chairman  
CAROLINE A. POTTER,  
ANNIE C. DEARBORN

## EFFINGHAM LIBRARY—1961

## RECEIPTS

Jan. 1 Balance	\$124 46	
Jan. 27 Georgia F. Parsons Fund	17 02	
Emma B. Leland Fund	17 02	
Abbie A. Wedgwood Fund	14 61	
Dec. 6		
Received from Town Treas.	200 00	
Emma B. Leland Fund	18 28	
Georgia F. Parsons Fund	18 28	
Abbie A. Wedgewood Fund	14 63	
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Dec. 31 Total		\$423 30

## PAYMENTS

Feb. 10 Library Book House	\$45 59	
May 29 Library Book House	15 41	
June 19 Reader's Digest Books	12 45	
June 20 Frontier Press Co.	28 50	
Sept. 30 Nathaniel Dame & Co.	21 10	
Dec. 4 Helen Blaisdell (Readers Digest)	2 97	
Dec. 5 Clarissa Taylor (salary)	70 00	
Dec. 28 American Heritage Pub- lishing Co.	5 95	
Service Charges	1 98	
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Dec. 31 Total		\$203 95
Balance		219 35
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		\$423 30

VIRGINIA F. TAYLOR  
MRS. MARTHA THURSTON  
MRS. ANNIE DEARBORN  
Library Trustees



## FOREST FIRE WARDEN'S REPORT

### AN APPEAL FROM YOUR FOREST FIRE WARDEN

In these days of constantly rising taxes and wages, an unnecessary expense is an added burden on everyone's pocketbook—yours and mine. Forest fires cost money and damage our valuable woodlands. Lightning sets some forest fires, but we have no control of lightning. Children cause many fires. Ninety-eight percent of our forest fires result from human carelessness—our carelessness. This, we—you—and I can do something about.

When we require you to obtain a permit for out-of-doors burning or forbid you to burn on days of high fire danger or set up regulations—hours, etc., governing the use of the town dump we are simply protecting yours and the town's interests.

The ever present threat of forest fires is the concern of all of us; the responsibility for preventing them is ours and the costs of extinguishing are ours. We can do something about this problem, by being aware of and alert to the danger and by cooperating with your warden.

Do the things that are required of you —

1. Follow the warden's directions.
2. Secure the required burning permit.
3. Keep your fires under control.
4. Completely extinguish your fires before leaving them.

5. See that your children are properly cautioned.  
Everyone will benefit by it.

1961 Fire Record

Number of fires 3

Number of permits issued 77

Number of acres burned  $1\frac{3}{4}$

ROLAND E. SANBORN

Forest Fire Warden

HUBERT C. HARTWELL, Jr.

District Fire Chief

**EFFINGHAM SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**OFFICERS**

**Moderator**

PERCY TAYLOR

**Clerk**

PAULINE WILKINSON

**Treasurer**

HELEN BLAISDELL

**Truant Officer**

ZELMA THURSTON

**Auditors**

ERIC POTTER

NANCY VAN TASSEL

**Nurse**

REBECCA SANBORN, R. N.

**School Board**

RAYMOND KENNARD

Term Expires 1962

ROBERT SCANLON, Chr.

Term Expires 1963

JANET HARTFORD

Term Expires 1964

**Superintendent of Schools**

ALFRED W. THOMAS

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Effingham qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 7th day of April 1962, at 7:30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the

selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

9. To see if the district will vote to authorize the School Board to make application for and accept in the name of the school district for educational purposes such funds or grants-in-aid as may be obtainable from the State or Federal Government or any department or agency thereof, or any other source.

10. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Effingham this 1st day of Feb., 1962.

ROBERT SCANLON  
RAYMOND KENNARD  
JANET HARTFORD  
School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ROBERT SCANLON  
RAYMOND KENNARD  
JANET HARTFORD  
School Board

# BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF EFFINGHAM

## EXPENDITURES

### Administration

	Actual Expenditures 1960-61	Adopted Budget 1961-62	Actual Exp. fy. 1 to Dec. 31, 1961	School Bd. Budget 1962-63	Budget Com. Budget 1962-63
Salaries of district officers	\$ 282 00	\$341 00		\$341 00	\$341 00
Supt.'s salary (local share)	337 56	297 00	264 00	314 55	314 55
Tax for state wide supervision	166 00	162 00	160 00	140 00	140 00
Salaries of other administrative personnel	15 00	15 00		15 00	15 00
Supplies and expenses	500 42	518 61	392 99	638 96	638 96

### Instruction

Elem. teachers' & principals' salaries	7926 55	8095 65	2481 87	8407 84	8407 84
Books and other instruction aids, elem.	289 12	315 00	288 33	315 00	315 00
Scholars' supplies, elementary	209 06	300 00	337 72	300 00	300 00
Supplies and other expenses, elem.	6 81	40 00	22 23	40 00	40 00

### Operation of School Plant

Salaries of custodians, elem.	262 00	300 00	124 87	300 00	300 00
Fuel or heat, elementary	507 04	450 00	26 89	450 00	450 00
Water, light, supplies and expenses, elem.	345 04	335 00	166 71	335 00	335 00

### Maintenance of School Plant

Repairs and replacements, elementary	408 78	250 00	215 00	100 00	100 00
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**Auxiliary Activities**

Health supervision, elementary	366 91	388 24	333 24	400 41	400 40
Transportation, high	3154 00	3094 00	1240 00	3316 00	3316 00
Transportation, elementary	4631 00	4500 00	1935 50	5000 00	5000 00
Tuition, high	7750 00	6715 00	360 00	9290 00	9290 00
Tuition, elementary	750 00	792 00		1315 00	1315 00
Special activities and special funds, elem.		50 00	26 68	50 00	50 00
‡School lunch and special milk, elem.	214 12				

**Fixed Charges**

Retirement & social security, elem.	500 83	593 42	72 88	811 12	811 12
Insurance, treas. bonds & expenses, elem.	119 74	80 42	54 32	119 74	119 74
<b>TOTAL CURRENT EXPENSES</b>	<b>28741 98</b>	<b>27632 34</b>	<b>8503 33</b>	<b>31999 62</b>	<b>31999 62</b>

**Capital Outlay**

Additions and improvements, elem.	5 40				
New equipment, elementary	35 47	250 00	159 98	100 00	100 00
<b>Total Capital Outlay</b>	<b>40 87</b>	<b>250 00</b>	<b>159 98</b>	<b>100 00</b>	<b>100 00</b>
<b>TOTAL EXP. OR SCHOOL APPROP.</b>	<b>\$28782 85</b>	<b>\$27882 34</b>	<b>\$8663 31</b>	<b>\$32099 62</b>	<b>\$32099 62</b>

# RECEIPTS

	Actual Receipts 1960-61	Adopted Budget 1961-62	Actual Rec. Jy 1 to Dec. 31 1961	School Bd. Budget 1962-63	Budget Com. Budget 1962-63
Balance (actual or estimated)	\$ 2982 31	\$1009 70	\$1379 70		
State aid			7 98		
Federal aid	159 12				
Trust funds	17 02	16 39			
Other			3 38		

Tot. Rec'ts other than Prop. Taxes  
 Received from Selectmen  
 Dist. Assessment raised or to be raised  
 by Property Taxes

\$3158 45	\$1026 09	\$1391 06	
		6000 00	
\$26813 44	\$26856 25		\$32099 62
\$30031 89	\$27882 34	\$7391 06	\$32099 62

Total Approp. voted by School Dist.

## Budget Committee

ROGER L. NUTTER      RAYMOND KENNARD  
 PERCY C. TAYLOR      LAURENCE D. NIHAN  
 LLOYD SANBORN      ROLAND SANBORN

January 30, 1962



## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Effingham:

I submit my first report as Superintendent of Schools of Union No. 36. The following list indicates the administrative activities for the period from July 1, 1961 to December 31, 1961.

Teacher visits	339
Regular School Board Meetings	45
Special School Board Meetings	26
Speaking engagements	7
P. T. A. Meetings	8
Conventions & Conferences	5
Teachers meetings	7

During the school year 1960-61 the teachers in the Effingham schools were: Mrs. Marie Lloyd at the Falls School, and Mr. Philip Martin at the Center School. Mrs. Lloyd and Mr. Martin are competent and conscientious teachers and we are fortunate that they are continuing to serve in their respective schools during the current year.

Mrs. Rebecca Sanborn, R. N., provided very efficient and effective supervision of the school health services, and is continuing in the same position during the current year.

Mrs. Dagny Blouin continues her efficient supervision of the music program. Our children are indeed fortunate to have such instruction in this field.

During the summer recess the inside of the Center School was painted.

## Guidance

The objective of a guidance program cannot be satisfactorily achieved unless all teachers are conscious of those objectives and strive toward that end. The role of the classroom teacher in the guidance program is an indispensable one. In every subject there are common and unique possibilities for contributing to the objectives of the guidance program. Guidance should be an outcome of all teaching activities.

### Cumulative Records

The Guidance Program is dependent upon an adequate knowledge of the individual. In our schools there is a Cumulative Record for each pupil. Guidance information is entered under the following headings:

1. Personal data
2. Family and community background
3. Scholastic record
4. Health record
5. Objective test results
6. Character ratings
7. School activities and interests
8. Entrance and withdrawal record

The objective is to construct a growing, permanent record of valid information which will accompany each child throughout his school life.

The cumulative record kept up to date furnishes information which will be invaluable in making pupil adjustments. Principals and teachers find its greatest value in determining status and growth in the child's general and specific area development, in planning new programs and grade placement.

The task facing the leaders of education is to so

organize and administer our educational institutions that the best interest of every individual will be served and that this process will, at the same time, contribute to the fundamental quality of our culture and add strength to our national character. We must make sure that the maximum cultivation of the individual's intellectual, moral, artistic and spiritual capacity that makes of him a free person, yields also the protection and perpetuation of those institutions that are essential to a free society.

Like so many other departments of our society and culture, our educational establishment at many points is comfortable and soft. At times we have been far too willing to entertain and to tolerate when we should have disciplined, directed, and inspired—inspired by great teaching, of the type that moves the mind to a love of knowledge and to an insatiable demand to possess and to create it, directed by wisdom that grasps the proper ends of learning; and disciplined by that internal discipline whereby a moral person orders his life, determines the means appropriate to his ends, and achieves a proper integration of his intellect and affections.

The schools of Effingham are an investment in people and represent a significant part of our vast heritage which we Americans enjoy. One of the fundamental and most vital parts of our governmental structure is the guarantee of free, public and universal education locally administered. It is my sincere hope that the citizens of Effingham will continue their support of this created obligation.

Realizing the many challenges with which the American people are faced today, I would like to urge the citizens of Effingham to keep working hard to

improve their school system, because I think that we all must realize more than ever before that the foundation of our democratic society is built upon the education of its children.

I feel that the year which has elapsed has been one of progress. Whatever gains have been made have been the result of the cooperation of members of the School Board, school personnel and parents. For this cooperation I wish to express sincere acknowledgement.

Respectfully submitted,  
ALFRED W. THOMAS  
Superintendent of Schools

**REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER**

For the Fiscal Year July 1, 1960 to June 30, 1961	
Cash on Hand July 1, 1960 (Treasurer's bank balance)	\$2,982 31
Received from Selectmen	
Current Appropriation	\$27,004 10
Received from State Treasurer	
State funds Special Milk Program	159 12
Received as Income from Trust Funds	17 02
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TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$27,180 24
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year (Balance & Receipts)	30,162 55
Less School Board Orders Paid	28,782 85
Balance on Hand June 30, 1961	<hr/>
(Treasurer's Bank Balance)	\$1,379 70

HELEN L. BLAISDELL

July 6, 1961

District Treasurer

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**AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE**

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Effingham of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1961 and find them correct in all respects.

NANCY L. VAN TASSEL  
NEIL ERIC POTTER

26 July 1961

Auditors

**SCHOOL DISTRICT FINANCIAL REPORT****1960-61****RECEIPTS****Federal Aid**

National School Lunch and

Special Milk

\$159 12

**Local Taxation**

Current Appropriation

\$27,004 10

**Other Sources**

Trust Funds

17 02

**Total Receipts From All Sources**

\$27,180 24

Cash on Hand July 1, 1961

2,982 31

**GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS**

\$30,162 55

**DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES****1960-61****ADMINISTRATION****Salaries of District Officers**

Raymond Kennard, Chairman \$90 00

Robert Scanlon 60 00

Janet Hartford 60 00

Helen Blaisdell, Treasurer 36 00

Lillian Cutting, Auditor 12 00

Francis Gardner, Auditor 12 00

Percy Taylor, Moderator 6 00

Pauline Wilkinson, District Clerk 6 00

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\$282 00

**Superintendent's Salary**

Supervisory Union No. 36	337 56
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**Tax for State Wide Supervision**

Treas. State of N. H. per capita tax	166 00
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**Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel**

Zelma Thurston, Truant Officer & Census	15 00
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**Supplies and Expenses**

Scott, Foresman and Co.	\$ 4 38
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Pauline Reissfelder, Treas.	
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Union Expense	363 66
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Pauline Reissfelder, Treas.	
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Supt. Travel	83 52
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Carroll County Independent	13 60
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Helen Blaisdell, stamps	8 00
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N. H. School Board Association	10 00
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Robert Scanlon, mileage	10 50
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Edson C. Eastman	6 76
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\$500 42

**INSTRUCTION****Teachers' Salaries**

Philip Martin .	\$3,076 52
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Marie Lloyd	2,792 20
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Dagney Blouin, Music	396 72
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N. H. State Treas. S/S Tax	395 54
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Director of Int. Rev.	746 40
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Blue Cross	214 97
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N. H. Teachers Retirement	280 20
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Chocorua Teachers Club	4 00
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NHEA	16 00
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NEA	10 00
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Substitutes	30 00
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\$7,926 55

**Books and Other Instructional Aids**

American Book Co.	\$90 10
Equity Publishing Co.	6 00
Silver Burdett	55 02
Harcourt Brace & World Co.	9 08
Rand McNally and Co.	55 92
L. W. Singer Co.	73 00

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 \$289 12
**Scholars' Supplies**

American Book Co.	\$ 2 68
L. W. Singer Co.	31 06
J. L. Hammett	4 38
Scott, Foresman and Co.	51 05
G. Jacques Longland	3 25
Lyons and Carnahan	9 60
Mainco Trading	70 39
Ginn and Co.	5 55
D. C. Heath	12 79
Charles Merrill Books	5 05
Rand McNally and Co.	9 62

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 \$209 06
**Supplies and Other Expenses**

Scott, Foresman	\$2 21
Mainco Trading	4 60

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 \$6 81
**Salary of Janitors**

Helen Edwards	\$ 35 00
Flora Thompson	137 00
Stephen Gardner	40 00
Janice Van Tassel	50 00

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 \$262 00
**Fuel or Heat**

Howe Oil Co.	\$507 04
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**Water, Lights, Supplies & Expenses**

Milton Bradley	\$ 52 34
Public Service Co.	233 32
Effingham Falls Store	6 69
H. F. Nelson	1 44
Earl Taylor	1 28
Fayette Laboratories	10 13
Moulton's Store	29 34
Harry Wormstead	5 85
Dube and Murphy	4 65

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 \$345 04
**Repairs and Replacements**

Milton Bradley	\$ 3 78
R. E. Abbott	20 00
Alfred Sargent	2 00
Frank Meserve	2 00
Robert Trask, lights	150 00
Gordon Fall, painting	215 00
William Fulton	16 00

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 \$408 78
**Health Supervision**

Union No. 36 Nursing Fund	\$313 91
Dr. David P. Dutton	53 00

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 \$366 91
**Transportation**

High School	
Walter Boewe, Jr.	\$2,500 00
Francis Gardner	600 00
Ossipee School District	54 00

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 \$3,154 00

Elementary	
Ethel Nutter	\$1,680 00
Myrtle Keniston	2,000 00

Francis Gardner	665 00	
Ora Howland	261 00	
Ossipee School District	25 00	
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		\$4,631 00
<b>Tuition</b>		
High School		
Conway School District	\$7,400 00	
Moultonboro School District	350 00	
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		\$7,750 00
Elementary		
Ossipee School District		\$750 00
<b>Special Activities &amp; Special Funds</b>		
Effingham Milk Fund		\$214 12
<b>Retirement</b>		
N. H. Teachers Retirement		
System	\$379 50	
Union No. 36 Nursing Fund	20 01	
N. H. Public Welfare	1 00	
Treas. Union No. 36	25 44	
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		\$425 95
<b>Insurance and Treas. Bond</b>		
Treasurer's Bond	\$ 10 00	
Ossipee Ins. Agency	109 74	
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		\$119 74
<b>Additions and Improvements</b>		
Philip Martin		\$5 40
<b>New Equipment</b>		
Quinn Freight Lines	\$ 2 97	
Paris Mfg. Co.	32 50	
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		\$35 47
Total Expenditures for all purposes		<hr/>
		\$28,782 85
Cash on Hand June 30, 1961		1,379 70
<b>GRAND TOTAL NET PAYMENTS</b>		<hr/>
		\$30,162 55

**BALANCE SHEET**

June 30, 1961

**ASSETS**

Cash on Hand June 30, 1961	\$1,379 70
Total Assets	<hr/> \$1,379 70
GRAND TOTAL	<hr/> \$1,379 70

**LIABILITIES**

Gordon Fall, painting	\$200 00	
Robert Trask, lights	150 00	
Emerson Abbott, septic tank	20 00	
	<hr/>	\$370 00
Surplus (Excess of Assets over Liabilities)		<hr/> 1,009 70
GRAND TOTAL		<hr/> \$1,379 70

# **SUPERVISORY UNION NO. 36** **FINANCIAL REPORT**

1960-1961

## **RECEIPTS**

Cash on Hand July 1, 1960	\$ 739 01
Received during year	11,640 62
	<hr/> \$12,379 63

## **EXPENSES**

Union Secretary	\$2,600 00
Superintendent's Salary	4,850 00
Superintendent's Travel	1,200 00
Salary Union Treasurer	50 00
Auditor	10 00
Office Expense	682 14
Educational Aids	275 35
Workshop	33 45
Retirement	324 63
Moving Office	25 00
New Equipment	189 49
	<hr/> \$10,240 06
Cash on Hand June 30, 1961	2,139 57
	<hr/> \$12,379 63

The state's share of the superintendent's salary for Supervisory Union No. 36 was \$3,500.00. The shares of the various districts were as follows: Brookfield \$111.55; Effingham \$337.56; Freedom \$431.36; Madison \$500.03; Middleton \$56.75; Ossipee \$1,250.33; Tamworth \$1,002.50; Wakefield \$1,245.48.

The amount of per capita tax paid by each district is as follows: Brookfield \$42.00; Effingham \$166.00; Freedom \$112.00; Madison \$168.00; Middleton \$138.; Ossipee \$516.00; Tamworth \$152.00; Wakefield \$554.00.

**STATISTICAL REPORT**

Number of weeks of school year	38
Number of half-days in session	360
Total number of different pupils enrolled	43
Boys 21                  Girls 22	
Average daily membership	47.8
Percent of Attendance	45.6
Average number of tardinesses	.2
Number of pupils transported at district expense	53.4
Elem. 32.6                  High School 20.8	
Number of School Board Meetings	13
Number of school visits by superintendent	99
Perfect Attendance	
Dennis Libby	
Jeffrey Kennard	
Clayton Wilcox	
Raymond Kennard	

## REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

During the school year 1960-61 the regular screening programs for vision, hearing, height and individual inspections were carried out for each pupil. The Snellen Chart and the Massachusetts Vision Testing equipment were used for the eye tests. The Maico Pure Tone Audiometer was used to check each pupil's hearing.

Medical examinations and urine tests were given to each child with Dr. Dutton the examining physician. The following defects were found at that time; 1 case of gingivitis, 4 needing teeth corrections, 3 tonsils and adenoids, 2 cases with inguinal hernia, 3 with very poor posture, 3 showed sugar and 1 albumen in the urine.

Notes, home or telephone calls were made on all defects found.

The Mount Whittier Lions Club gave assistance with eye care for two school children.

Through the cooperation of Effingham Grange, State Department of Health, Effingham Department of Education and local medical services 38 pupils received booster shots of Salk Polio Vaccine and 11 received booster shots for continued protection against diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus on January 19, 1961.

One pupil attended the orthopedic clinic held at North Conway Hospital on May 10, 1961 for evaluation of a defect. This clinic was sponsored by the State Department of Health's Crippled Children's Services.

REBECCA P. SANBORN, R. N.

## VITAL STATISTICS 1961

## BIRTHS

Child's name, Peter John Tilton; Date of birth, March 4; father's name, Clifford Howard Tilton; mother's name, Marylynn Janet Bean.

Child's name, Rachel Katherine Martin; date of birth, June 14; father's name, Philip Linwood Martin; mother's name Kathleen Margaret Maguire.

Child's name, Mari Beth Thurston; date of birth, July 20; father's name, Alfred John Thurston; mother's name, Jeanne Maude Chase.

Child's name, Deborah Darlene Frost; date of birth, September 3; father's name, Cecil Earl Frost; mother's name, Ruth Isabelle Sargent.

## MARRIAGES

Groom's name, Howard Leslie Brown; bride's name, Sarah Maria Savary; date of marriage, May 13; residence of groom, Effingham, N. H.; residence of bride, Madison, N. H.; parents of groom, father, Henry Arthur Brown; mother Rusilda Diane Bortie; parents of bride, father, Austin Duane Savary; mother, Violet Abigail Hulet.

Name of groom, John H. Ramsey; name of bride, Lois V. Smith; date of marriage, July 13; residence of groom, Meredith, N. H.; residence of bride, Effingham, N. H.; parents of groom, father, Dr. Frank W. Ramsey; mother, Lillian M. Driscoll; parents of bride, father, Fred H. Smith; mother, Cora M. Lurvey.

## MARRIAGES—Cont.

Name of groom, Roland Edward Callomy; name of bride, Joyce Irene Moody; date of marriage, Aug. 26; residence of groom, East Hiram, Me.; residence of bride, Kezar Falls, Me.; parents of groom, father, Delwin W. Callomy; mother, Flora A. Townsend; parents of bride, father, Chester E. Moody; mother, Bertha M. Edwards.

Name of groom, Donald Wentworth Watson; name of bride, Hilda Louise Hodgkins; date of marriage, Aug. 12; residence of groom, Effingham, N. H.; residence of bride, Gorham, Me.; parents of groom, father, Myles Evans Watson Sr.; mother, Hazel Adelaide Wilkinson; parents of bride, father, John Fairfield Hodgkins; mother, Margaret A. Fritz.

Name of groom, Emery Cambridge Daly; name of bride, Nancy Lee Taylor; date of marriage, Sept. 23; residence of groom, Effingham, N. H.; residence of bride, Effingham, N. H.; parents of groom, father, Raymond Christy Daly; mother, Dorothea Annette Shay; parents of bride, father, Percy Clifton Taylor; mother, Virginia Frazier.

Name of groom, Robert O. Brewer; name of bride, Victoria M. Griffin; date of marriage, Oct. 8; residence of groom, Amesbury, Mass., residence of bride, Amesbury, Mass.; parents of groom, father, Fred A. Brewer; mother, Caroline W. Owram; parents of bride, father, Stanley Romonski; mother, Mary Janis.



## DEATHS

Clara E. Mick; father's name, Robert Mee; mother's maiden name, — Remick; date of death, Jan. 27.

Lewis Ellsworth Edwards; father's name, John Edwards; mother's maiden name, Helen Stevens, date of death, April 24.

Angelina M. Grenquist; father's name, Octave LaVoie; mother's maiden name, Phoebe LaVoie; date of death, July 2.

Olive K. Cosden; father's name, John DuCett; mother's maiden name, Bertha Watson; date of death, Sept. 28.

Irving Winhorn Davis; father's name, Alvin Davis; mother's maiden name, Sarah Maloon; date of death, Oct. 18.

Herbert Davis; father's name, Leslie Davis; mother's maiden name, Grace Davis; date of death, Dec. 3.

\*Leon Williams Stevens; father's name, George Stevens; mother's maiden name, Ida ———; date of death, June 9.

\*George M. Drady, date of death, Dec. 11.

\*SOURCE—Burial/Transit Permits. No. Certificate of Death filed.





